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PORTSMOUTH AND NORFOLK COUNTY

What Virginian-Pilot Representatives Hear Daily.

BRIEF ITEMS OF INTEREST

The Movements of People in Whom the Average Reader is Interested—Happenings in Legat—Business, Religeous and Social Circles A Forecast of Future Lyrnis.

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Mr. J. A. Garrett, son of Mr. W. E. Garrett, of Lynchburg, and a ministerial student at Richmond College, arrived in the city yesterday. Re is the guest of the Rev. Samuel Sanders, He will return to Richmond ton-morrow.

If you, reader, have lost your laundry ticket this office is the place to get it. During Friday might some unknown person entered the house of a colored woman on Race a wenue, and after throwing everything topey-turvy, sat down, drank a pot of corice and eat the food the woman had prepared for her husband to carry to werk with him yesterday.

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notice elsewhere, it will be seen 1 a feest important special meeting.

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streets. Those who know say that this amount is inadequate, and others who are in a position to know say that it will take four times that amount to do hat is necessary to keep the streets

n proper condition. The funeral of Mrs, Catherine Maguire will take place this afternoon at 3 o'clock from St. Paul's Catholic Church.

Church.

In this issue will be found the advertisement of Mr. W. N. White, calling attention to his stock of bicycles, Read what he says and profit by it.

The main auditorium of Central Church will be used to-day both morning and night. It has been thoroughly renovated.

Mr. John R. Matthews will speak at the morning and afternoon services.
TRINITY CHURCH.
The usual Sunday services will be held at Trinity to-day. After the evening service Mr. J. R. Matthews, the English evangelist, will speak.
Services during the week will be as follows:

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Morday-4 p. m. and 8 p. m.
Tuesday-11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
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Friday-4 p. m. and 8 p. m.
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These services will be held in the parish house and Mr. Matthews will speak at each of them.

WHAT WILL THE COUNCIL DO?

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Mayor Baird Pinds Himself Confronted With a Very Long Docket.

A week's accumulation confronted Mayor Baird when he ascended the bench in the Police Court yesterday morning. He soen settled down to business, and in less than two hours every offender who was unfortunate enough to have a charge standing against him on the docket, had been dealt with according to the law and evidence in the case.

Eight plain drunks atoned by either penying up the usual \$2.25 or going up for a period of five days.

A white man, for disorderly conduct, entered a plea of "guilty," and was let off with a fine of \$5.09.

Robert While, the colored man who kept a five-dollar bill with which he was entrusted to obtain change, acknowledged his mistake. He said he had "tried to live honest, but this time he had slipped up on himself, and was very sorry indeed." Thirty days is what he got, and there is little doubt but that his frankness saved him at least sixty days' imprisamment.

Henry Hicks and William Brown, the two colored boys who attempted to "hoodoo" Brandt & Co. out of three

"hoodoo" Brandt & Co. out of three pairs of pants, each got a jail sentence of six months.

Henry Williams, colored, charged with complicity in the largeny of shoes from Mr. Henry Brandt, escaped pun-ishment.

Thurston Ray, for disorderly conduct, was taxed \$5.00

as charged with the larceny of a pair pants from Mr. Resher ky. The evi-uce did not sustain the charge and e case was dismissed.

law and the building of a battleship at Robins were plentiful yesterday, the county roads being full of them. Guners will have fine sport for the next white and Si. John's Churches, The Board of Police Commissioners II meet Monday night to elect two licensen to fill vacancies.

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MARRIED IN HAMPTON.

Mr. Cornelius Thomas, one of the lesses of the Norfolk County Perries, was married in Hampton on Wednesday last to Mrs. Chesia B. Abbitt, of that place. The ceremony was performed by the pastor of the Christian Church, after which they went to Richmond for a few days, with the intention of taking a Southern trip, but returned on account of the weather. They arrived home yesterday and are residing at the home of Mr. Thomas, on South street. South street.

J. R. MATTHEWS AT Y. M. C. A J. R. alaxi and The Service for men only at the Y. M. C. A. this afternoon will be a very interesting and helpful service. Mr. J. R. Matthews, a student of the University will deliver an ad-

Mr. Morne reader, have been your laundry brings might some universe the hours of a concern bring register and properly and

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JOHN L. WATSON, · · · Portsmouth, Va

MAGUILLE.—At the residence of her nother, Mrs. Bridget Kane, No. 122 Linguin street, Portsenouth, Va., February, 15, 899, at 12 m., Mrs. CATHERINE MARTHURE, White of the late High Maguire, 120 de years, 16 months and 15 days. Fourers from St. Paul's Carbone Chapel Filis (Sunday) AFTERNOON at 3 sold all season at \$10 00. o'click, Wilmington (Del.) papers plass copy.)

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A special meeting of PORTSMOUTH

A DJOURNED MEETING. — AN AD-AL Journel meeting of the Stockholders of the Villa HEIGHTS COMPANY will be held at the Early of Torismouth on TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 2387, ESP. at 12 of Coke m.

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MOLASSES SYRUP. I have just put up a big barrel of th aest New Orlans Molasses I could buy where, 60, per gallon. Fine Extra Heav landla Dries, 60, per gallon, A full lin

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JUST FROM THE MINES.

The Norfolk County Ferries

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The Virginian-Pilot representatives talked with several truckers yeated as in regard to the effects of the late storm on their crops. They said that the radich crops are successful to the effects of the late storm on their crops. They said that the radich crops was entirely destroyed and must be replanted. Kale was looking to the properties of the prop

W. & J. PARKER. CORNER COUNTY AND CRAWFORD STREETS.

THREE ATTRACTIONS!

sold all season at \$10 00. No. II-Sale of Men's Trousers, about 200 pairs included

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All our 50c. Heavy Weight Underwear, now 39c. All our \$1.00 and \$1.25 Heavy Weight Underwear,

BOYS' CLOTHING AT LESS THAN COST.

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OI COURT STREET, PORTSMOUTH,